PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

1092. A Department of Home Science was instituted in the Maharani's College for Women, Bangalore.

1093. Music was introduced as an Optional subject.

Board of Studies.

1094. The following Boards of Studies were constituted :—

1. Home Science,
2. Journalism,
3. Modern European Languages,
4. Music,
5. Indology.

Affiliation.

1095. The B.D.T. College of Engineering, Davangere, was affiliated to the University and permission was given to start the First Year Class as from September 1951.

Research Training.

1096. Under the Research Training Scholarship Scheme, instituted by the Government of India, 8 Senior Grade Scholarships of the value of Rs. 200 per mensem and 10 Junior Grade Scholarships of the value of Rs. 100 per mensem have been awarded to the members of the teaching staff. The scholarships are tenable for three years, 1949-50 onwards and 1951-52 onwards.

Endowments.

1097. Eleven Endowments of the total value of Rs. 1,34,708 were received during the year.

Government of India Aid.

1098. The work of the construction of the building for the development of Post-Graduate Research Facilities in the Department of Chemistry was taken on hand. The expenditure on this account will be met out of the grant of Rs. 1,00,000 from the Government of India.

(iii) Encouragement to Authors.

1099. Subventions were paid to 34 authors and editors of books and publishers of journals out of the provision of Rs. 2,500 made under "Encouragement to Authors" during the year.

1100. In the competition for the Devaraj Bahadur Charity Literary prizes, 31 works were received. Of these, 16 did not come under the purview of the rules. The remaining 15 works (1 manuscript and 14 printed books) were taken up for consideration. The committee which was appointed to judge the works received, awarded six prizes.